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**Abstract**

A pharmaceutical composition comprising: (i) metformin, optionally in the form of one of its pharmaceutically acceptable salts, (ii) a statin, optionally in the form one of its pharmaceutically acceptable salts, and optionally one or more pharmaceutically acceptable excipients, is suitable for use in the treatment of hyperglycemia non-insulin-dependent diabetes, dyslipidemia, hyperlipidemia, hypercholesterolemia, and obesity.